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TOWN OFFICERS.—1902.

MODERATOR:

R. L. DOBLE.

CLERK:

A. S. LEONARD.

SELECTMEN:

I. F. DEAN, C. F. BUMPS, I. E. SHERBURNE.

TREASURER:

W. S. OWEN.

SUPERINTENDENT:

REV. W. W. HAYDEN.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

A. L. WARD, DR. H. A. SNOW, W. G. BECKLER.

CONSTABLES:

B. B. KIMBALL, A. S. LEONARD, F. M. STROUT,
C. F. STANCHFIELD, A. F. SPEARING.

BOARD OF HEALTH:

B. B. KIMBALL, R. M. INGALLS, L. C. FORD.

AUDITOR:

R. M. INGALLS.

TRUANT OFFICERS:

J. L. MARTIN, C. STANCHFIELD, I. F. HOBBS.

Report of Selectmen.

Valuation of the Town of Milo, April 1, 1902.

Resident Real Estate,	$258,570 00	
Non-Resident Real Estate,	74,495 00	
Resident Personal Estate,	71,753 00	
Non-Resident Personal Estate,	100 00	
Total valuation,	$404,918 00	
Amount of property on which tax is assessed,		$404,918 00
Rate of taxation .0185		
No. of polls, 329.		
Tax on Resident Real Estate	$4,775 02	
" Non-Resident Real Estate,	1,563 09	
" Resident Personal Estate	1,287 80	
" Non Resident Personal Estate,	1 85	
" 329 Polls, at $3.00 each,	987 00	
		$8,614 76
Total amount of Town, State and County, tax committed to R. M. Ingalls, collector 1902,		$8,614 76

Purposes for which Money was Raised in 1902.

For support of Common Schools,	$1,200 00
" " of Free High Schools,	400 00
" " of Poor,	300 00
" current expenses,	1,500 00
" town Debt,	1,000 00
" highways and bridges,	1,500 00
" care of Cemetery,	25 00
" text books,	250 00
" repair of school houses,	200 00
" High School laboratory,	25 00
" lighting covered bridges	50 00
" sidewalks,	200 00
" salary of Supt.,	100 00
" Amount of State tax,	1,103 32
" " of County tax,	572 10
" overlay in assessing,	189 34
	$8,614 76

Liabilities of the Town.

Due on Notes.

Date.	To whom due.	Principal.	Rate.	Interest.
Jan. 7, 1872	School Fund,	$1,320.13	6	79.24
Jan. 7, 1901	Lucy M. Gould,	1,000.00	4	83.34
Jan. 1, 1901	E. H. Tolman,	1,000.00	4	5.00
Feb. 21, 1899	Walter A. Hobbs,	200.00	4	8.00
21, 1899	Ira F. Hobbs,	225.00	4	9.00
May 8, 1889	Isaac Hanscom,	300.00	4	10.50
Aug. 6, 1892	Isaac Hanscom,	1,000.00	4	24.00
Sept. 16, 1892	A. E. Leonard,	600.00	4	35.70
Oct. 17, 1892	Isaac Hanscom,	1,000.00	4	15.37
13, 1892	Isaac Hanscom,	600.00	4	9.45
May 20, 1897	I. F. Hobbs,	500.00	4	15.00
" "	I. F. Hobbs,	500.00	4	15.00
" "	A. E. Leonard,	964.00	4	28.92
25, 1897	I. F. Hobbs,	300.00	4	9.00
June 14, 1897	L. C. Hanscom,	1,000.00	4	27.33
Aug. 19, 1897	A. E. Leonard,	1,000.00	4	20.00
June 14, 1897	C. H. Leonard,	1,000.00	4	27.33
Apr. 23, 1898	C. A. Glover,	100.00	4	7.35
30, 1898	A. E. Leonard,	359.32	4	11.57
14, 1900	A. E. Leonard,	1,537.50	4	53.81
May 1, 1900	A. E. Leonard,	2,200.00	4	69.73
Apr. 14, 1900	A. E. Leonard,	1,537.50	4	53.81
Mar. 19, 1901	Angie D. Morse,	1,000.00	4	36.67
		$19,243.45		$655.12

Debts on interest bearing Notes,	$19,243.45
Interest on same,	655.12
Outstanding Orders, 1900,	159.37
" 1901,	209.78
" 1902,	810.86
Due on County Tax,	286.05
Est. amt. due Old Town, for support of Moses Hoskins, Sr.	100.00
Total debt Feb. 14, 1903,	$21,464.63

Available Assets, Feb. 14, 1903.

Bal. due on taxes 1902, from R. M. Ingalls,	$3,505.75
" from town of Glenburn,	40.19
" " Bradford,	5.81
" " Dover, support of J. J. Stone, '01,	32.81
" " " " " '02,	129.11
Bal. in Treasury as per report,	$1,240.46
	$4,954.13
Net indebtedness Feb. 14, 1903.	$16,510.50

Current Expenses.

Cr.

1902.		
Feb. 15.	By balance unexpended, year 1901,	$1,848 83
Mar.	" amount raised by town,	1,500 00
		$3,348 83

Dr.

1902.		
Mar. 27	Paid F. D. Barrows, printing Town Reports for year 1901,	$ 14 00
Apr. 15	L. C. Ford, 75 visits of Inspection of small pox, 1901,	61 75
	L. C. Ford, 400 vaccinations, year 1901,	100 00
	L. C. Ford, medical attendance at Small Pox Hospital, 1901,	260 70
May 15	G. D. Loring, town books 1902,	7 50
31	Jennie Leonard, work, town books,	8 00
June 26	Loring, Short & Harmon for new Maine townsman,	3 00
	Angie D. Morse, interest on note Mar. 19, 1901 to Mar. 19, 1902,	40 00
Aug. 14	Judson Briggs, use of water tub 2 years 1901, '02,	6 00
23	Annette Chase, use hall 1900, '01,	35 00

July 31	H. A. Snow, recording 20 births and 14 deaths, at 25c.,	8	50
	H. A. Snow, visit to W. H. Davis for Health Board,		75
	B. B. Kimball, collecting dog tax,	10	00
	for teams for Health Board,	2	00
	C. F. Bumps, stationery, postage,	3	90
	" rent of office for Selectmen,	12	00
	" service as Selectman,	90	00
	I. F. Deane, "	40	00
	Isaac E. Sherburne, "	36	00
	Rev. W. W. Hayden, services as Superintendent of Schools,	100	00
Feb. 13	A. S. Leonard, serv. Town Clerk,	20	00
	" for postage,		85
	" posting 3 warrants,	4	50
	" recording births, deaths & marriages,	15	30
14	W. S. Owen, telephone & express.	3	80
	" services Treasurer,	35	00
	R. M. Ingalls, " as Auditor,	2	00
	F. M. Strout, for abatement of tax of Omar Herrick,	4	80
	R. M. Ingalls, abatement of tax of Boston Excelsior Co.,	391	43
	F. M. Strout, abatement tax 1901,	180	46
	" commission for collecting tax 1901,	202	83
	R. M. Ingalls, 5 per ct. disc't on $3,757.60 paid on or before Sept. 1,	187	88
	R. M. Ingalls for abatements 1902,	9	00
	M. L. Durgin, services as attorney,	22	09
		1,919	04
Unexpended,		$1,429	79

Pauper Fund.

1902.		Cr.	
Feb.	15	By Bal. unexpended,	$112 42
May	10	" amt. raised by town,	300 00
1903.			
Feb.	1	" charged Old Town,	104 00
	1	" cash received of Bangor, care of Grant child,	12 60
	1	" cash received of Monticello care of David Marsh,	12 50
	1	" amt. chargee to Dover on acct. J. J. Stone,	129 11
			$670 63

1902.		Dr.	
Mar.	15	Paid S. Bellington for rent for E. G. Lord,	7 50
Apr.	8	Geo. London, care of David Marsh,	12 50
May	1	H. B. Nason, rent for A. J. Smart,	10 00
July	15	I. E. Sherburne, moving A. J Smart,	5 00
	29	John McCarty, haying for E. N. Hurd,	6 25
Aug.	14	E. N. Hurd, for man in haying,	7 50
	23	M. G. Brackett, for supplies for W. M. Hamlin,	8 55
	23	M. G. Brackett, for supplies for A. J. Smart,	6 40
	23	L. C. Ford for medical attendence Wm. Hamlin,	10 50
	26	West & Clement, for supplies for Mrs. E. G. Lord,	5 00
	26	West & Clement, for supplies for A. J. Smart,	2 66
Oct.	18	H. A. Snow, for medical attendence, W. M. Hamlin,	3 75

Nov.	15	Helen Young, for rent of W. M. Hamlin.	22 50
	29	Azul Ladd, for care of Grant Child.	12 60
1903.			
Jan.	31	H. W. Sargent, for supplies for A. J. Smart,	13 06
Feb.	7	Chas. Stanchfield, for supplies for A. J. Smart,	2 31
	7	F. E. McIntosh, for supplies for A. J. Smart,	24 54
	14	F. H. Gould, rent 9 mos.	45 00
			$205 62

Orders Drawn for Poor Charged to Town of Dover.

March	15	Paid H. W. Sargent, supplies for J. J. Stone,	$2 87
	15	M. G. Brackett, supplies for J. J. Stone,	2 82
Apr.	1	Chester B. Heath, supplies for J. J. Stone,	9 50
May	12	West & Clement, supplies for J. J. Stone,	3 94
July	22	I. E. Sherburne, 3 trips with supplies,	3 00
Aug.	23	M. G. Brackett, supplies for J. J. Stone,	4 91
	26	West & Clement, supplies for J. J. Stone,	9 51
Jan.	10	Chas. Stanchfield, supplies for J. J. Stone,	3 40
	10	M. G. Brackett, supplies for J. J. Stone,	7 74
	10	F. E. McIntosh, supplies for J. J. Stone,	20 18
	10	Chester B. Heath, wood for J. J. Stone,	4 50

	10	H. W. Sargent,, supplies for J. J Stone,	14 88
	10	Chester B. Heath, wood for J. J. Stone.	5 50
Feb.	7	West & Clement, supplies for J. J. Stone,	16 31
	7	F. E. McIntosh, supplies for J. J. Stone,	10 92
	7	C. F. Stanchfield, supplies for J. J. Stone,	2 63
	7	Dr. N. H. Crosby, for medical attendence for J. J. Stone,	6 50
			$129 11

Orders Drawn for Poor Charged to City of Old Town.

1902.			
May	1	Paid M. G. Brackett, supplies for Melvin Lovejoy,	$26 00
Aug.	1	M. G. Brackett, supplies for Melvin Lovejoy,	26 00
Nov.	1	M. G. Brackett, supplies for Melvin Lovejoy,	26 00
Feb.	1	M. G. Brackett, supplies for Melvin Lovejoy,	26 00
			$104 00
1903.			
Feb.	14	Unexpended,	$231 90

Highways and Bridges.

Cr.

1902			
Mar.	10	By amt. raised by town,	$1,500 00
		" recd. of H. F. Daggett for lumber,	11 00
		" " Warren & Blethen, lum.,	4 00

	" "	F. H. Gould, Shirley Lumber Co.,	84 00
1903			
Feb. 14,	"	overdrawn,	1,440 50
			$3,039 50

Dr.

1902			
Feb. 15	Amt. overdrawn,		$987 36
Mar. 15	Paid F. E. Tibbetts, labor on highway,		1 97
Apr. 1	M. C. Foss,	"	2 10
15	F. A. Willey,	"	5 25
21	S. J. White,	"	1 50
25	A. L. Ward,	"	3 35
	Frank Angove,	"	6 50
28	Ed Hodgkins,	"	8 00
30	O. E. West,	"	18 75
May 1	Geo. Gould,	"	2 55
5	F. C. Stanchfield,	"	3 30
8	F. A. Cross,	"	1 42
8	Chas. Ward,	"	2 85
8	Harry Taylor,	"	1 35
8	O. D. Meservey,	"	1 35
8	E. J. Bergamon,	"	1 50
26	N. W. Brown,	"	12 50
26	Shirley Lumber Co. for lumber, 1901,		84 00
30	Israel Waterhouse, labor on highway,		2 00
30	Chas. Kelley,	"	10 50
30	N. A. McNaughton,	"	10 00
June 5	Chas. Kelley,	"	29 25
6	Chas. Demons,	"	11 25
7	O. B. Packard, care of horses,		46 50
11	J. F. Davis, labor on highway,		3 50
14	Hollis Hall,	"	11 72
14	Chas. Demons,	"	5 62
14	N. A. McNaughton,	"	10 00
21	Chas. Demons,	"	8 62

	26	S. C. Farris, "	3 00
	26	F. C. Stanchfield, "	1 95
	28	F. A. Hoxie, lumber and labor on Alder, Stream Bridge	13 00
	28	W. A. White, cutting bushes on highway,	1 25
	28	J. S. Dean, for labor on highway,	30 37
July	12	N. A. McNaughton, "	64 75
	12	I. E. Sherburne, "	23 25
	12	C. L. Foss, "	9 30
	12	Fred Smart, for labor on highway,	1 50
		F. C. Grover, labor on culvert,	1 50
July	23	I. F. Deane, labor on highway,	87 00
	23	Sam Gublil, "	9 38
	23	B. L. Gould, "	3 75
	23	A. J. Smart, "	3 75
	23	J. C. Boober "	19 61
	23	I. F. Dean, " with horses	43 00
	23	John Bumps, " highway,	1 50
	23	Archie Bumps, "	2 25
	23	Tom Jones, "	1 50
	23	E. J. Bergamon, "	4 50
	23	C. F. Stanchfield, scraper for highway,	7 25
	30	W. W. Walton, cement and nails for highway,	30 11
	30	C. W. Pierce, lumber for highway,	82 36
Sept.	1	B. W. Doble, repairs for road machine, and blacksmith's bill,	46 85
	1	C. F. Bumps labor on highway,	4 00
	1	Geo. Caldwell,	32 00
	1	O. B. Packard, labor of horses on highway,	47 25
	1	O. B. Packard, for rent rock,	7 50
	16	I. E. Sherburne, labor on highway,	12 50
	20	A. L. Ward, labor on highway,	1 20
	20	B. W. Doble, for repairs on road machine,	6 60
	20	W. E. Thompson, labor on highway,	9 30

	27	Wesley Savage, labor on highway,	6 37
	27	L. H. Bumps, "	16 25
	27	John Maguire, "	11 25
	27	James Bridge, "	2 25
	27	Birt Lovejoy, "	4 00
Oct.	3	W. F. Wells, "	8 55
	3	E. A. Robbins, "	5 25
	4	C. M. Richardson, "	16 55
	11	Eleazor Currier, "	3 15
	18	F. A. Hoxie, "	8 00
	18	James Mitchell, "	6 12
	18	Judson Crockett, "	12 38
	18	Geo. Caldwell, "	112 13
Nov.	8	John Monroe, "	5 50
	8	B. A. & C. B. Ramsdell, "	14 85
	8	B. A. Ramsdell, "	6 00
	8	B. A. & C. B. Ramsdell, for building road,	100 00
	8	C. L. Hanscom, labor on highway,	1 50
	8	A. W. Boober, "	8 45
	15	N. A. McNaughton, "	2 38
	15	Elias Drake, "	12 00
	29	A. J. Pierce, "	3 00
Dec.	15	Geo. Monroe, "	5 25
	20	C. F. Monroe, "	23 75
Jan.	10	C. Stanchfield & Co., oats and corn,	5 55
	10	Town of Orneville, for use of road machine,	3 00
		James McNaughton, labor on highway,	7 50
		Eleazor Currier, "	7 50
		C. M. Hobbs, labor on highway with horse,	4 13
		H. D. Savage, blacksmith work,	2 30
		Geo. Rider, labor on highway,	5 50
		Chas. West, "	12 25
	31	C. S. Harris, "	5 85
		I. E. Sherburne, "	9 00
		Will Carver, "	7 50

	W. H. Davis,	"	3 00
	Henry Lord,	"	75
	I. G. Mayo,	"	17 25
	Chas. Mayo,	"	4 50
	Lewis Martin,	"	75
	I. F. Dean,	"	19 00
	Chas. Foss,	"	16 50
	L. R. Angove,	"	2 62
	C. L. Daggett,	"	18 75
	F. P. Barden,	"	7 05
	West & Clement, for lumber,		4 16
	A. L. Ward, labor on highway,		2 15
	L. H. Savage,	"	1 10
	E. C. Moores, for rent rock,		1 15
10	A. D. Morse, labor on highway,		12 15
13	W. H. Weymouth,	"	3 90
	Frank Hobbs,	"	4 05
	I. F. Hobbs,	"	6 90
	M. C. Foss,	"	2 55
	W. W. Walton, cement, paint, oil, and nails,		45 73
14	Fred Foster, labor on highway,		7 80
			$2,554 40

Village Bridge.

1902. DR.

July 22	Paid F. S. Drake, freight on lumber,		23 75
	E. & I. K. Stetson, lumber,		157 54
26	C. F. Bumps, labor,		17 50
	J. W. Morse,	"	4 87
	Sam. Gublil,	"	7 12
	I. F. Dean,	"	12 50
	C. W. Pierce, lumber,		51 42
	J. S. Dean, labor,		3 00
	Warren & Blethen, rep. nuts for rods,		35
	American Thread Co., lumber,		58 54
	F. A. Hoxie, labor,		11 00

	Fred Smart, labor,	4 50
	Chas. Stanchfield, nails, etc.,	7 16
	Fred Willey, labor,	3 30
		$362 55

Piscataquis Ferry.

1902.	DR.	
Apr. 25	Paid Claude Boober, labor on boat,	2 50
	F. A. Hoxie, "	16 00
	I. F. Dean, freight on lumber,	9 90
May 8	C. F. Monroe, labor on boat,	11 00
	C. F. Bumps, "	11 00
26	Mattawamkeag Lumber Co., lumber,	35 87
June 26	F. A. Hoxie, iron and labor on boat,	11 57
Aug. 23	C. F. Stanchfield, rope and nails,	8 10
	W. W. Walton, nails and pitch,	12 46
Feb. 7	C. F. Stanchfield, rope and nails,	2 52
	F. E. McIntosh, paint and nails,	1 63
		$122 55

Sidewalk Fund.

1902.	CR.	
Feb. 15	By amt. unexpended,	94 13
Mar. 10	" raised by town,	200 00
1903.		
Feb. 10	Tar and pitch on hand,	38 48
	" paid Treasurer on sidewalk subscription,	8 55
		$341 16

1902.	DR.	
Sept. 2	Paid E. M. Buswell, labor,	8 25
15	Edwin Goulie, "	15 00
22	Chester Pray, "	9 00
Oct. 3	I. F. Dean, freight on tar,	9 00
11	National Coal Tar Co ,	8 77
18	Edwin Goulie, labor,	3 00

Nov.	1	National Coal Tar Co.,	50 00
	15	V. J. Paine, labor,	8 62
	22	I. E. Sherburne, labor,	65 00
		Frank Hoskins,	3 75
Dec.	15	Frank Gould, tar,	41 85
Jan.	10	Chas. West, labor,	26 20
Feb.	14	W. W. Walton & Co., oil,	49
		Unexpended,	92 23
			$341 16

Greenwood Cemetery.

CR.

Mar. 10	By amt. raised by town,	$25 00
Feb. 14	" overdrawn,	12 20
		$37 20

DR.

1902.		
Feb. 15	To amt. overdrawn,	4 57
June 14	Paid Lewis Martin, labor,	7 50
July 30	Elias Drake, "	9 00
Nov. 22	Adelbert Smart,	4 13
1903		
Jan. 31	I. E. Sherburne,	12 00
		$37 20

J. S. Sampson Post.

1902. CR.

Feb. 15	By amt. unexpended,	$25 00

DR.

May 30	Paid A. E. Leonard, Q. M.,	$25 00

Fire Department.

1902. CR.

Feb. 15	By amt. unexpended,	$38 26

DR.

1903.			
Feb.	13	Paid W. W. Walton, oil for engine,	25
		Amt. unexpended,	38 01
			$38 26

Hearse Repairs.

1902.

CR.

Feb.	15	By amt. unexpended,	$9 75

Lighting Bridge Fund.

1902.

CR.

Mar.	10	Amt. raised by vote of town,	$50 00
1903.			
Feb.	14	Overdrawn,	35 41
			$85 41

DR.

1902.			
Feb.	14	Amt. overdrawn,	$47 91
July	17	Paid F. C. Grover,	10 00
Oct.	4	F. C. Grover,	6 00
	18	Chas. Leonard,	12 50
Feb.	10	F. C. Grover,	9 00
			$85 41

Teaching and Board.

1902.			
May	2	Martha Jones, teaching in Toll Bridge Dist.,	49 50
	10	Helda J. Barnes, Asst. in Grammar School,	23 34
		Jane Jones, teaching in "	80 00
		Annie R. Doble, teaching in Intermediate,	80 00
June	26	Edeth Stevens, " Sub Primary,	70 00
		Rose E. Clement, " Primary,	80 00

	27	Louise Lanpher, "	Stanchfield Ridge,	52 50
		Alice M. Strout, "	Drake School.	50 00
	28	Annie M. Stetson, "	Sargent Hill school,	55 00
July	5	Grace Hanscom, "	Davis School,	50 00
	19	Lena Packard, "	Pleasant River,	50 00
	14	N. W. Brown, for board,	Stanchfield Ridge,	17 50
Oct.	3	Minnie Mitchell, teacher,	Sargent Hill,	16 50
	4	Rose E. Clement, teacher,	Primary,	13 50
Nov.	15	Hortense Richardson, teacher,	Sub Primary,	77 00
		Louise Lanpher, teacher,	Grammar School,	88 00
	21	Jane Jones, Asst.	"	29 34
		Lillian Dow, teacher,	Primary,	88 00
		Annie R. Doble, teacher,	Intermediate,	88 00
		Alice M. Strout, teacher,	Stanchfield Ridge,	60 50
		Lena Packard, teacher,	Pleasant River,	55 00
		Martha Jones, teacher,	Toll Bridge,	60 50
		Jennie Cranmore, teacher,	Drake School,	55 00
	22	Minnie Mitchell, teacher,	Sargent Hill,	44 00
	29	Grace Hanscom, teacher,	Davis School,	55 00
Dec.	11	Florence Leonard, "	"	20 00
		Annie R. Doble, teacher,	Intermediate,	64 00
		Minnie Mitchell, teacher,	Sargent Hill,	44 00
		Lydia Rhoda, teacher,	Toll Bridge,	40 00
		Lillian Dow, teacher,	Primary,	64 00
		Martha Jones, teacher,	Stanchfield Ridge,	44 00
		Hortense Richardson, teacher,	Sub Primary,	56 00
Feb.	7	Lena Packard, teacher,	Pleasant River,	40 00
		Della Brown, teacher,	Toll Bridge,	45 00
	10	Louise Lanpher, teacher,	Grammar School,	64 00
	13	Jane Jones, Asst.	"	17 34
	14	Town of Sebec, tuition of Lunt children, 1885-'86 '87,		15 00
		Town of Brownville, tuition of Stanchfield children, 40 weeks,		40 00
		Tuition of Anderson and Bergmon children,		12 50
				$1,954 02

Wood for Schools.

1902.			
Mar.	27	Paid E. C. Mooers, wood,	$12 10
Apr.	1	Geo. Gould, "	15 50
May	2	Daniel Boober, kindling wood,	2 25
	20	Chas. Richardson, wood,	14 60
June	11	J. F. Davis, "	10 50
	28	Warren Carey, kindling wood,	1 50
July	3	Chas. E. Ward, wood,	11 25
	26	Lewis Foss, kindling wood,	2 00
Aug.	14	A. D. Morse, labor on wood,	3 00
	23	Boston Excelsior Co., soft wood,	41 25
	29	A. L. Carver, labor on wood,	19 00
Sept.	20	A. L. Ward, "	3 00
	20	A. J. Smart, "	1 50
Nov.	15	E. E. Severence, wood,	16 00
		Daniel Boober, labor on wood,	5 00
		A. F. Glover, wood,	16 25
		Ira B. Dudley, labor on wood,	3 00
	21	Perley Lyford, kindling wood,	1 00
		Isaac W. Mooers, labor on wood,	2 50
	22	Warren Carey, kindling wood,	2 75
	29	A. N. Murray, labor on soft wood,	1 25
Dec.	11	Ralph Cunningham, kindling wood,	1 00
	15	F. E. McIntosh, wood,	10 00
		Perley Lyford, labor on wood,	5 00
		L. M. Hamlin, wood,	4 50
		F. E. McIntosh, wood,	15 00
		C. M. Hobbs, hauling wood,	7 13
		A. L. Ward, labor on wood,	2 50
		Maurice Horn, kindling wood,	50
		Warren Carey, "	2 00
		Lewis Foss, "	40
	31	Percey Lyford, "	2 25
		Boston Excelsior Co., wood,	9 00
Feb.	14	Wm. H. Weymouth, "	3 50
		A. W. Murray, labor on wood,	1 00
			$248 98

Care of School Buildings.

1902.				
Mar.	15	Paid R. E. Ricker, janitor services.		$ 2 00
May	2	Daniel Boober,	"	2 25
	16	A. W. Murray,	"	39 00
	28	Warren Carey,	"	2 50
July	5	Grace Hanscom,	"	2 50
	10	Lena Packard,	"	2 50
	14	A. W. Murray,	"	10 00
	26	Lewis Foss,	"	2 50
Nov.	15	E. E. Severence,	"	7 50
		Wm. H. Call,	"	2 50
	21	Lena Packard,	"	2 75
		Perley Lyford,	"	2 75
	22	Warren Carey,	"	2 75
		Minnie Mitchell	"	2 75
		Grace Hanscom,	"	2 75
	28	A. W. Murray,	"	44 00
Dec.	11	Ralph Cunningham,	"	2 75
		Maurace Horn,	"	4 00
	31	Warren Carey,	"	4 00
		Percey Lyford,	"	2 25
		Lewis Foss,	"	1 00
		Lena Packard,	"	2 00
Feb.	14	A. W. Murray,	"	6 00
		A. W. Murray,	"	36 00
				$189 00

Board and Conveying Scholars.

1902.			
June	28	Paid Andrew Anderson, conveying scholars to Drake Dist.,	45 00
Nov.	22	E. J. Bergamon, conveying scholars to Drake Dist.,	49 50

Feb.	10	Abbie Potter, board of Maud and Helen Darling,	15 00
		Thos. Billington, conveying scholars to Sargent Hill,	12 00
	14	F. C. Stanchfield, for board of Lyle Foss, 8 weeks,	10 00
			$131 50

Summary of Schools.

CR.

1902.			
Feb.	15	By balance unexpended,	$ 44 60
Mar.	10	" Amt. raised by town,	1,200 00
	10	" " of school fund and tax,	1,191 84
	10	" " Int. of school fund,	79 20
	10	" " of tuition,	12 50
			$2,528 14

DR.

1903.			
Feb.	14	To teaching and board,	1,954 02
	14	wood for schools,	248 98
	14	care of school buildings,	189 00
	14	conveying scholars,	131 50
		Unexpended,	4 64
			$2,528 14

High School.

CR.

1902.			
Feb.	15	By Amt. Unexpended,	$53 05
	15	received for tuition,	6 00
Mar.	10	raised by town,	400 00
	10	received from State,	215 50
		Overdrawn,	23 68
			$698 23

DR.

1902.			
Mar.	22	Paid W. J. Rideout for teaching,	$54 00
May	10	Hilda J. Barnes as assistant,	46 66
	12	E. J. Smith, for teaching,	122 50
Oct.	4	E. N. Babcock,	65 00
Nov.	21	Jane Jones, as assistant,	58 66
	21	E. N. Babcock for teaching,	113 75
Dec.	15	E. N. Babcock for teaching,	70 00
1903			
Feb.	13	Jane Jones as assistant,	62 66
	13	E. N. Babcock for teaching,	105 00
			$698 23

School Text Books,

CR.

1902.			
	15	By Amt. unexpended,	30 90
	15	order No. 136 dated Oct. 25, 1901, returned to W.S.Owen, Tr.	12 00
Mar.	10	Amt. raised by town,	250 00
1902.			
Jan.	24	Amt. of books sold,	15 55
Feb.	14	Overdrawn,	23 23
			331 68

DR.

1902.			
Mar.	28	Paid F. H. Drake, Fit bill,	2 05
May	27	F. E. McIntosh, for ribbon for diplomas.	85
	27	Howard & Brown, 6 diplomas,	4 55
	27	F. D. Barrows for 1000 deportment cards,	2 50
	27	F. D. Barrows for 400 promotion cards,	1 50

27	Ex. bills on books,	2	60
June 9	Goodrich Publishing Co. for charts,	88	60
Aug. 4	J. L. Hammett Co. for books,	15	18
July 19	D. H. Knowlton, for books,	6	80
Sept. 20	Am. Ex. Co. express on books,	5	20
1903.			
Jan. 10	D. C. Heath & Co. for books,	2	57
10	J. L. Hammett Co. for books,	11	39
10	American Book Co. for books,	44	14
10	Ginn & Co.,	78	33
10	Silver Burdette,	53	68
24	Am. Ex. Co. express on books,		95
31	H. W. Sargent for supplies,		85
31	Am. Express Co. express on supplies,	4	39
Feb. 13	W. S. Owen for crayons, chalk and pencils,	4	95
13	Am. Ex. Co. for express on books,		60
		$331	68

School House Repair Fund.

CR.

1902.			
Feb. 15	By Amt. unexpended,	$26	03
Mar. 10	raised by town,	200	00
1903.			
Feb. 14	Amt. overdrawn,	1	01
		$227	04

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1902.			
Mar. 22	Paid F. H. Rogers for setting glass,	$1	25
June 14	F. C. Stanchfield for labor on out-buildings,	3	00
Apr. 22	J. W. Mitchell, cleaning out vaults,	4	00
May 8	A. W. Murray, labor on black-boards,	1	50
8	A. W. Murray, paint and labor on boiler,	1	50

	8	J. F. Davis, cleaning out vaults,	1 50
	27	Cincinnatti Bell Co. for bell-yoke,	1 50
June	28	Warren Carey, cleaning school house,	2 00
	28	Warren Carey, cleaning yard and setting glass,	1 50
Aug.	29	W. W. Walton, school supplies and nails,	5 77
Sept.	1	Josie Smart for cleaning school house,	1 00
	1	F. A. Hoxie, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	4 00
	1	C. S. Harris, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	4 00
	1	Chas. Hodgkins, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	5 25
	2	C. W. Pierce, lumber on Sargent Hill school house,	32 37
	10	A. S. Carver, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	4 50
	15	M. S. Rollins, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	14 00
	16	C. G. Chalmers, lumber on Sargent Hill school house,	33 15
	20	freight on lumber for Sargent Hill school house,	2 54
	20	A. L. Ward, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	14 00
	20	A. L. Ward, on school buildings,	4 98
	20	A. S. Leonard, clapboards for Sargent Hill school house,	3 00
	20	Warren & Blethen, lumber for Sargent Hill school house,	4 28
	20	A. J. Smart, labor on Sargent, Hill school house,	1 50

1901.			
Oct. 4	E. E. Summers, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	6	50
1	B. H. Barden, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	2	50
1	F. P. Barden, labor on Sargent Hill school house,	3	75
15	E. H. Chase, settees,	19	20
15	Maggie Lyford, cleaning school house,	2	00
15	Warren & Blethen, repairing black boards,	1	15
15	W. Y. Beckler, cleaning school yards,	1	25
15	A. W. Murray, labor on school house,	5	00
Dec. 15	Geo. Monroe, cleaning out roll-way,		75
1902.			
Jan. 10	C. M. Hobbs, labor with horse,	1	35
10	A. L. Ward, repairs on school houses,	1	70
10	Warren Carey for bowing school house,	1	00
Feb. 7	Paid C. F. Stanchfield for paper and nails,	3	24
14	W. W. Walton for supplies,	23	56
14	A. W. Murray for labor on house,	2	00
		$227	04

High School Laboratory.

CR.

1902.			
Feb. 15	By Amt. unexpended,	$19	41
Mar. 10	" raised by town,	25	00
		$44	41

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Dec. 15	Paid J. N. V. Lane for supplies,		$21 92
1903.			
Feb. 13	E. N. Babcock for supplies,		4 00
13	W. S. Owen for supplies,		6 90
13	Unexpended,		11 59
			$44 41

Respectfully submitted,

I. F. Dean,
C. F. Bumps,
Isaac E. Sherburne,
} Selectmen of Milo.

The undersigned hereby certifies that he has audited the accounts of the town of Milo for the year ending Feb. 14, 1903, and finds the same correct, with proper vouchers filed for all orders drawn.

R. M. Ingalls, Auditor.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

TOWN OF MILO,

In account with W. S. OWEN, Treasurer, DR.

1902.			
Feb. 15	To paid orders,	$10,816	44
	State Pensions,	117	00
	County tax,	658	15
	State Treas. dog tax,	86	00
	State tax,	1,103	32
	State Treas. deficit dog tax, 1901,	29	00
	Interest on loans,	716	10
	Mary R. Angell, note,	700	00
	H. Hamlin,	310	00
	Cash in Treasury to balance,	1,240	46
		$15,776	47

CR.

1902.			
Feb. 16	By Cash on hand,	$ 335	04
	By rec'd Taxes 1901-2,	12,787	17
	for sidewalks,	8	55
	H. F. Daggett,	11	00
	for sale of Town farm,	700	00
	Poole room licence,	10	00
	of State, burial of soldiers,	103	00
	of State, Free High School,	215	50
	Town Clerk, dog tax,	86	00
	for rent of school yard,	3	00
	of city of Bangor,	12	57
	Warren & Blethen, lumber,	4	00
	State, for sheep killed by dogs,	37	50
	I. F. Dean, for sleds sold,	15	00
	W. W. Hayden, tuition and books sold,	21	80
	State Treas., mill tax,	1,191	84
	State Treas. State pensions,	117	00
	M. L. Durgin, collection,	12	50
	F. H. Gould, acct. Shirley Lumber Co., order,	84	00
	S. Billington and I. Cross,	9	00
	Selectmen,	12	00
		$15,776	47

Respectfully submitted,

W. S. OWEN, Treasurer.

Superintendent's Report.

I herewith submit my annual report as Superintendent of the public schools of Milo.

The financial statement will be found in the preceeding pages of this town report.

STATISTICS.

Number of persons between the ages of 4 and 21, April 1, 1902,	430
Number of different pupils registered,	335
Total number of weeks schools have been in session,	317
Number of different teachers employed,	20
Average wages of teachers, per week, including board,	$6 25

This does not include the principal of the High school.

All schools have had 29 weeks, except the Davis school. This school was closed for lack of scholars and those attending were conveyed to the Sargent Hill school.

The High School has had 31 weeks.

Total Enrollment.

	Whole No.	Average No.	Per Cent.
Spring	302	264	87.4
Fall	315	260	82.8
Winter	272	237	87.1

TABULAR REPORT.

High School.

Terms.	Teachers.	No. Pupils.	Ave	Salary.	Wks
Spring	E. J. Smith,	32	29	70 00	10
	Hilda Barnes, Asst.			4 66	
Fall	E. N. Babcock,	47	41	65 00	11
	Jane Jones, Asst.			5 34	
Winter	E. N. Babcock,	45	40	70 00	10
	Tenth Grade.				
Spring	Hilda Barnes,	16	13	2 34	10
Fall	Jane Jones,	17	16	2 66	11
Winter	Jane Jones,	19	17	2 66	9

		Grammar.			
Spring	Jane Jones,	36	32	8 00	10
Fall	Louise Lanpher,	24	23	8 00	11
Winter	Louise Lanpher,	25	24	8 00	8
		Intermediate.			
Spring	Annie Doble,	32	30	8 00	10
Fall	Annie Doble,	34	31	8 00	11
Winter	Annie Doble,	35	33	8 00	8
		Primary.			
Spring	Rose Clement,	47	42	8 00	10
Fall	Lillian Dow,	44	39	8 00	11
Winter	Lillian Dow,	54	52	8 00	8
		Sub Primary.			
Spring	Edeth Stevens,	32	29	7 00	10
Fall	A. Hortense Richardson,	26	22	7 00	11
Winter	A. Hortense Richardson,	23	19	7 00	8
		Stanchfield Ridge.			
Spring	Louise Lanpher,	21	19	7 00	10
Fall	Alice Strout,	21	19	5 50	11
Winter	Martha Jones,	18	16	5 50	8
		Sargent Hill.			
Spring	Annie Stetson,	21	18	5 50	10
Fall	Minnie Mitchell,	22	16	5 50	11
Winter	Minnie Mitchell,	11	8	5 50	8
		Toll Bridge.			
Spring	Martha Jones,	22	18	5 50	9
Fall	Martha Jones,	17	12	5 50	11
Winter	B. Della Brown,	16	12	5 00	9
		Lovejoy School.			
Spring	Lena Packard,	18	14	5 00	10
Fall	Lena Packard,	17	12	5 00	11
Winter	Lena Packard,	13	6	5 00	8
		Drake School.			
Spring	Alice Strout,	19	14	5 00	10
Fall	Jennie Cranmore,	22	18	5 00	11
Winter	Lydia Rhoda,	9	7	5 00	8
		Davis School.			
Spring	Grace Hanscom,	6	6	5 00	10
Fall	Grace Hanscom,	14	11	5 00	11
Winter	Florence Leonard,	4	3	5 00	4

ATTENDANCE.

The present law requires "that every child between the ages of 7 and 14 inclusive, shall attend some public school during the time such school is in session." This law provides that those physically or mentally incapacitated and those receiving equivalent instruction, in some other way, may be excused. "Any person having control of a child who is an habitual truant, and being responsible for such truancy, shall forfeit not exceeding $20.00 for the use of public schools of the town or city in which such child resides, to be recovered by the truant officer on complaint, or shall be imprisoned not exceeding thirty days."

Schools.

The attendance has been very good in most of our schools and good work has been done; hence commendable grogress has been made in the various branches taught. Your committee have endeavored to procure teachers whom they thought to be well qualified to teach the schools assigned to them. Our present corps of teachers is faithful, conscientious, competent and untiring in their efforts to advance pupils as fast as possible, and still have the work thoroughly done. I am pleased to report that most of our scholars have shown praiseworthy interest in their work. In some respects the years work has been quite satisfactory; but there is need of improvement in certain phases of school life, so that our schools may be more efficient. I wish that the parents would visit the schools more often than they do. It would help much in maintaining an interest in the schools, and the children will be stimulated to do their best, and the teachers would be encouraged. Such visits will enable the parents to observe the standing of their own children in the class, and they will be able to understand why some other children rank higher than their own and thus will not be so ready to accuse the teacher of showing partiality.

Text Books

Your Superintendent, last year, reported the text books as in a "deplorable condition." I found this statement to be absolutely true. During the year many of the old, out of date and worn out books have been exchanged, namely: the Arithmetics, Geographies, Language books—in part, U. S. Histories—in part, and Reading books—in part. Some of the old books that are in fairly good condition have been retained for use in the smaller classes of the same grade.

We have had to buy quite a large number of books for our High School.

All the new books are giving excellent satisfaction. We have more scholars in our village schools than ever before. It was nee-

essary to provide these scholars with books. Because of these extra demands our book account has been overdrawn, and there is still an open account with Ginn & Co., and the American Book Co.

Supplies and Appliances.

I would recommend that instead of raising our money for supplies in connection with our book account, that we raise money for supplies and appliances and let this include the amount usually raised for the laboratory.

Nearly all of our school rooms are in need of charts and maps. We ought to have more apparatus and appliances for our laboratory, so that our teachers may have better facilities for teaching physics and chemistry.

Repairs.

Your committee have attended to all necessary repairs during the year.

The school house on Sargent Hill has been repaired and when three more seats are put down, the inside doors hung and the wood work painted, the school room will present a neat, attractive appearance.

The interior of all our rural school houses ought to be painted. I believe that a neat attractive school room is an inspiration to any student.

High School.

We are still trying to adjust ourselves to the course of study that was introduced about two years ago. The first two classes are now in line with the course, the other two classes are a little mixed, but we will be able to provide satisfactory studies for them during the remainder of their course.

The English and Latin Scientific courses ought to be so arranged as to give our young people a good business education.

In order to do this and do any satisfactory work in our College Preparatory course, we must provide for the tenth grade outside of the High school.

Music.

The study of music has has been introduced into the course of study in many towns. The influence of music upon the child tends to stimulate the mental powers and aids in the retention of knowledge, hence we urge that music be taught in all our public schools.

Recommendations.

Your School Committee would recommend that out houses be built before another term, if possible, for the Toll Bridge school and the Davis school, and that a wood shed be built during the summer for the Lovejoy school.

In view of the crowded condition of our village schools, the committee would also recommend that a room be provided for the Intermediate school, either by raising the roof of the Primary school building and put on another story, or build an addition on the South side.

Estimates for the support of schools for the year ensuing:

Common schools,	$1,500 00
High school,	500 00
Repairs,	1,000 00
Text books,	250 00
Supplies, Appliances and Laboratory,	100 00

In conclusion I wish to express my feelings of gratitude to the citizens of Milo for their kindness, to the school committee for their courtesy and help, to the teachers for their faithfulness and hearty co-operation, and to the scholars for their good behavior and respect.

Respectfully submitted.

W. W. HAYDEN.

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